

UCR INDEX CRIME COMPARISON FOR NEWARK -1967 THROUGH 1995

♦ Figures for the first nine months of 1996 demonstrates:

Total Index Crime: down **5,172** incidents (**-16.6%**)

Violent Crime: down **1,435** incidents (**-18.0%**)

Non-Violent Crime: down **3,737** incidents (**-16.1%**)

♦ Attributable Factors:

Quality of Life Task Force

Reassignment of Police Personnel

Emphasis on Patrol Force

Quicker Police Response Time

Note: The 1995 population figure used by UCR is 15,000 below the identical figure they used 1990 through 1994 (5 years). It affects our rate as you can see by the bottom line figures using the 275,232 as compared to 260,232.

♦ Notable Factors:

Looking at the Index Total column, we have actually been on a six year decline since 1989.

- ♦ The Violent Crime per 1,000 column demonstrates that the old town has been on a violence binge since 1979 (in the thirties with the exception high twenties in 83, 84 and 87).
- ♦ Looking at the Violent Crime actual number column demonstrates that 1981 (12,511) was our worst year in (fifteen years ago) and seven years actually top 1995 (80, 81,82,86,89,90 and 94).

Homicides are down drastically from our worst years(67,70,71,72,73,74, 75,79 80, 81,82,85 and 86).

The **same with robbery** with our worst year being in 1981. 1979, 1980, 1982 and 1990 were bad too.

Uniform Crime Report

Jan thru Sept. 95' Vs. Jan thru Sept. 96'

OFFENSES	1995	1996	PERCENTAGE
Murder	77	73	-5.20%
Rape	178	141	-24.20%
*Robbery	4197	3103	-26.40%
Assault	7351	7296	-1.05%
*Burglary	5685	4409	-22.82%
Larceny	9760	8792	-9.37%
*Auto Theft	7579	6171	-18.45%
Arson	191	106	-44.50%
Total (s)	35018	30095	-14.00%

*** Suppressible Crime { - 21.77 }**

CRIME ANALYSIS UNIT